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| 09/891881 | 06/26/2000 | J. Voorhees | 100UM-010A |
| Title: Use of EGF-R protein tyrosine kinase inhibitors for preventing photoaging in human skin | | | |
| Examiner: R. O. Winston | | Art Unit: 1654 | |

PETITION TO ACCELERATE EXAMINATION UNDER § 1.102(c)

Dear Sir:

In connection with the above-identified application, your Petitioner, the joint inventor John Voorhees, respectfully requests that the examination of this application be accelerated due to the applicant's age, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.102(c).

Attached hereto is a Declaration by the Applicant attesting to his age, as well as copy of his Michigan driver's license, showing his date of birth as 12-05-1938, making him 67 years of age.

Pursuant to the provisions of § 1.102(c), no fee is due for this petition.

Attendance to this petition, and an early action on the merits of the application, are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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Verified Statement Accompanying Petition to Make Special

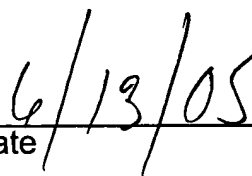
Dear Sir:

In connection with the Petition to make special for reason of the applicant's age that is submitted herewith for the subject application, I hereby declare as follows:

1. My name is John J. Voorhees, a joint inventor of this patent application.
2. Attached hereto is a true copy of a government issued document identifying my birth date as December 5, 1938, making my present age 66.
3. I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.



John J. Voorhees

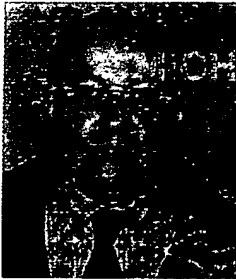


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| Date of birth | Sex | Height | Eyes | Lic Type | Endorsements |
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| 12-05-1938 | M | 510 | BRO O | | NONE |

Restrictions: Corrective Lens

John Voorhees

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